

Mines of the County

Work on the Great West mine is progressing nicely and the shaft is in good ore. Water is coming in in large quantities in the mine and enough is now assured to supply the mill.

Maj. W. A. Mensch departed Thursday evening last for an extended trip to New York City and possibly to Europe. He takes with him a number of promising properties, which he will place while in the east.

We understand that the Cedar Valley mining company has about decided to start up operations on the Arnold and other mining claims of the company in Cedar Valley mining district. This company owns some of the best mining property in that section.

Sherman Bagg was in from the Pyramid mill this week and reports that everything is running smoothly at the property. He will begin driving a tunnel on the Little Joker mining claim, in which he is interested with Tom Smith.

This week J. W. Johnson returned from the Copper Prince mine with an expert. The mining man was well pleased with the great evidences the Copper Prince gives for a bonanza future and we hope he will be able to take it over and put it on a paying basis. The mine is truly a wonderful one.

G. A. Wanger this week departed for Dawson, N. W. T., where he is largely interested in placer mining. Before leaving he contracted for the sinking of the main shaft of the Alexander 100 feet deeper and an upraise to the surface from the old works for air. The work, it is expected, will take about three months to complete. Mr. Wanger will be gone until the first of August.

The Pyramid mill is running on Catherine ore and the plates are coating up well with gold. Heretofore the ore worked through this mill gave a poor amalgamating result, but showed up well by cyanic treatment. Now the ore is amalgamating beautifully on the plates and it is considered unnecessary to use the cyanide treatment. There are thousands of tons of ore in sight in the mine and the mill will be kept pounding away for months to come.

At Eldorado Canyon a representative of the Daniel Best machine works, San Leandro, Cal., is at work on the traction engine putting it in shape to do the work required in hauling ore to the mill from the mines. The engine so far has refused to do the work as represented and an effort will be made to remodel it to comply with the contract. If this engine can be made to do the necessary work the mill will at once start in crushing ore. Thousands of tons of milling ore are in sight in the mines and on the dumps.

E. Ogden has put a force of men at work on the extension of the wagon grade over the Blue Ridge range into the Boundary Cone country. He expects to have the road in passable shape within a month. The building of this piece of road is a necessity and we are more than pleased to learn that our people recognize the fact in such a substantial manner. So far nearly 5000 have been raised to complete the road. Within a month the Colorado river will be at flood and it will be impossible to get supplies to the camps on the west slope of the range from Needles and if this road is not built it will entail a hardship on the people doing business in that country.

H. P. Ewing, who has been looking over the mining field in the San Francisco mining district for a week or more past, reports that the Leland mine is one of the richest and largest mines on the coast. The No. 1 tunnel is in nearly seven hundred feet and shows a continuous ore chute for more than 500 feet. On the north No. 2 tunnel is in about 200 feet and shows up an ore body four feet wide that gives an average of 6.8 per ton in gold. The vein cuts through a high bluff, a deep canyon cutting it on both the north and south, exposing the vein for hundreds of feet. The tunnels are pressing into this high bluff on the vein and opening up a world of ore. So far it has more work done on it and more ore exposed than all the other mines in that section. Thomas Ewing has the opening of the property in hand and is making a big success of the undertaking.

A force of men are still at work on the Planet mines and are taking out exceedingly rich copper ore. Next fall this force will be augmented by a number of miners and muckers.

The King mine, owned by Mrs. John Kay, is said to be a world beater. Nearly a carload of very rich gold-silver ore has been taken from it in sinking and as yet the pay streak shows no diminution. Mrs. Kay has held on to this claim for years and her faith in it is meeting with a golden reward.

H. P. Ewing has bonded a group of mining claims in the Boundary Cone country and has been placed in charge of the property. A contract was let this week to W. A. Brooks to sink a shaft to a depth of fifty feet. The mine on which this shaft is to be sunk is the Roosevelt, located about one-half mile from the Leland.

Cy Davis, who is interested with Peter White in the gold find near the Sheeptrail mines, was out looking at the property last Sunday. He brought back with him some handsome specimens of free gold and reports that the claims show wonderful values in the superficial workings. He is of the opinion that the claims are among the richest in the range.

C. D. Clack was down from the Nighthawk mine the early part of the week. He reports that the ore chute recently encountered in the mine shows a fair grade of ore, but that they soon expect to pierce the richer chute on the south side of the winze. A greater flow of water has been encountered and the boys expect to put in a pump to handle it.

Judge M. Redman came in from the Big Four mines this week and is taking a needed rest. He has been hard at work on the mines since the first of January. The claims are looking fine and there are now several miners at work sinking a shaft on the more promising of the group. The ores from the mines have a good milling value and are the most accessible of all the mines in the Blue Ridge mountains.

We understand that O. F. Kuencer has resigned the superintendency of the German-American company and will at once begin operations on the Ark and San Antonio mines, near Mineral Park. The Ark has a two-compartment shaft several hundred feet deep, in the bottom of which there is exposed a large body of ore. In the drifts on the 200 level there is an ore chute exposed the full length of both drifts, a distance of about six hundred feet. This ore carries values in gold, silver and copper.

Work has been discontinued on some of the copper mines in the north part of the county, owing to the low price of the metal and the impression that prevails that it will not soon regain the old price in the markets. The Savanic mines are among the richest copper properties in the southwest, but their distance from the lines of transportation make them practically valueless. When a railroad reaches St. George, which we believe will be soon, these mines will become the richest producers in Arizona.

G. Charles Davis came in from the mines at the Windmill this week and brought with him about eight hundred pounds of ore from the rich streak recently encountered in the vein. This ore gave a return of over 71 ounces gold, several ounces silver and 25 per cent copper. The ore streak is over 12 inches in width. He will soon return to the property and proceed to open it up in systematic manner. So far all the work done was for the purpose of complying with the requirements of the Arizona mining laws, under which ten feet of shaft must be sunk or until a vein is exposed in place. Enough ore has been taken out to pay for all work so far done on the group.

The San Francisco mining district is fast filling up with prospectors, in fact so many are there in that country that water will soon become an important question to them for camp purposes alone. In the country surrounding Boundary Cone there are nearly five hundred men at work either prospecting or working in the mines. Hundreds of veins have been located and in fact there is not one available foot of ground for miles around that is not covered by a mining location. There are two saloons in the district and more are going in. At Gold Road camp Lovin & Withers has a branch store and another store is projected for the Treadwell camp.

The Richardson Brothers are opening up good mining property in the Union Pass country. The veins are large and carry good milling values.

Major Barry has almost completed the hauling of a carload of ore to Franconia, whence it will be shipped to Los Angeles for treatment and experiment.

The contractors on the Sunrise mine, Chemehuevis mountain, are getting along nicely and will soon have finished up. The property is showing good ore bodies.

Charles Richards is taking very rich silver ore from the old Little Chief mine, Stockton Hill. The ore streak is very small, but so rich and clean that it needs no assorting.

The shaft below the 200-level of the Gold Road is being sunk by hand, the machines being too cumbersome and expensive. The contractors so far are making good headway.

We understand that work will be done on a mining claim recently sold by Morgan J. Jones to a Mr. McFarland. The claim is situated near the Nigger Head, above the town of Cerbat.

We understand that the C. O. D. Mines Company is putting on a larger force of men and will open up the lower levels of the mine in a substantial manner. A new shaft on this property will undoubtedly be represented to the company and work begun in the early fall months. The mine is one of the best properties in the territory of Arizona and we believe the present company will so prove it to the world.

This week Caddis & Perry Company received returns from a shipment of three sacks of ore recently sent to the Selby Smelting Company from the General Harrison mine, owned by Ole Ingelbretzen, and which netted the sum of 26.8, after deducting all expense. The ore gave a return of 78 ounces gold and 75 ounces silver to the ton, a value of 16348. This ore comes from a small streak in the vein and Mr. Ingelbretzen takes it down separately. The other portions of the vein give good results and a shipment of high class ore will soon be made. The mine is located in Todd Basin.

Last Thursday morning Bayard T. Brownell was found in a dying condition in a room at the county hospital and soon afterward expired. The man came here last winter from Osborn's camp, on the Bill Williams Fork, suffering with rheumatism. After regaining his health he became a nurse at the hospital and a helper at the Harrington House. For the past several weeks he had been drinking and was rather despondent over his inability to quit. Early in the morning of Thursday he was over town and told a gentleman that he would end it all. Shortly after he went to the hospital and it is supposed obtained a bottle of carbolic acid and swallowed some of the poison. He complained of his mouth burning and laid down on one of the beds, where he was found soon after in a dying condition. An inquest was held and an examination of the body made by Dr. Cowie, who stated that there was no signs of carbolic poisoning. Deceased had relatives living in California and Iowa and a wife and child in Indiana. They have all been notified of the death.

The Kingman ice plant is now ready for the summer business. It is doing an immense business in the bottling of carbonated waters, of which they are manufacturing the best ever put on the market in this county.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Woods came up from Needles Wednesday evening and are visiting with the parents of Mrs. Woods.

George M. Bowers, superintendent of the Nighthawk mine, was in Kingman for a few days this week.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured After Fourteen Years of Suffering

"I have been afflicted with sciatic rheumatism for fourteen years," says Josh Edgar, of Germantown, Cal. "I was able to be around but constantly suffered. I tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured, and I am happy to say it has not since returned." Why not use this liniment and get well? It is for sale by H. H. Watkins.

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Death of J. J. Barclay.

John J. Barclay died last Thursday at the hour of noon at the Beale Hotel, the immediate cause of death being hemorrhage of the stomach. He had been ill for nearly a month, but it was thought by his friends that he would soon recover.

Mr. Barclay was one of the brightest accountants on the Pacific coast and had been in the employ of several of the biggest mercantile firms in America. Before coming to Arizona he held positions with wholesale houses in Los Angeles and was well recommended by them. His health had been poor for several years and it was thought that the dry climate of Arizona would benefit it.

He leaves a mother at Centerville, California, and relatives in other parts of the United States. His funeral will take place this afternoon from the M. E. church under the auspices of the local Masons, of which order he was a member.

Thursday morning last J. D. Templeman and James Britton went up to the bridge camp, in the canyon above Peach Springs, and arrested Clark Cleveland, who is wanted at Empire, Colorado, for the murder of Jack Johnson, a miner. Cleveland was taken to Kingman Thursday evening and lodged in the county jail to await the arrival of officers from Colorado. The crime for which Cleveland is wanted was committed last March and officers have been hunting for him ever since. A reward was offered for his apprehension, which came to the knowledge of the sheriff's office some time ago and they have been on the lookout for the man. Cleveland claims to have struck Johnson with his fist and that he was justified in doing so, the man having used an opprobrious term to him. Cleveland's father is held in the Georgetown jail as an accessory to the crime.

George N. Conard and wife have entered into an agreement to sell their interests in the cattle, horses and range interests in this county to John S. Long, of San Francisco. Mr. Long is an old cattleman and will probably make the ranch an ideal one. Mr. and Mrs. Conard have resided on the ranch for about fourteen years and are deserving of a glimpse of the outside world and a much needed rest.

H. C. Darrab, a social economist of Chloride, delivered a series of lectures this week in the courthouse to good sized audiences. Mr. Darrab is a novice in the ranks of socialism, having been a supporter of the republican party for more than forty years. He is a pleasant talker and a interesting gentleman.

Fred Brosso, known in this county as "Frenchy," died in Colton, California, Thursday morning of consumption. Brosso was an old time miner of this county having worked for years at Chloride and Cerbat. He was a good hearted man and his death will be sincerely regretted.

Last Tuesday afternoon J. N. Cohenour and Mrs. M. Brown were united in marriage at the Kingman House, Judge J. A. Logan performing the ceremony. The couple are well known in Kingman and Mohave county, where they have many friends who wish them much happiness.

Mrs. H. H. Watkins, Miss Nellie Taggart, F. W. Morrison, Harvey Hubbs, James McGregor and many others have gone to Los Angeles to take in the Fiesta.

The following letters remain dead in the Kingman office: Miss Ruth La Verne 4, Miss Effie Sullivan, J. Scott, Al Sloan.

J. N. Cohenour is one of the engineers at the Lucky Boy mine.

The Elks last night at their meeting initiated four new members.

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Last Saturday evening Miss Frankie Potts, accompanied by her cousin, J. C. Potts, departed for Durango, Colorado, near which town she will enter the service of the Interior Department as a teacher in an Indian school. Miss Frankie Potts is one of the brightest of Kingman young ladies and we hope that she will soon be transferred to one of the schools nearer home.

J. R. Livingston is the first postmaster of the town of Acme (horrible name), heretofore known as Gold Road, and will enter upon his duties just as soon as his bond has been approved. A tri-weekly mail will be run to the camp. Within a month the Treadwell camp will have a postoffice and will receive mail by way of Kingman.

Thousands of tourists have gone through Kingman this week from the east on their way to California, where they will take part in the proceedings of the various orders scheduled to meet there this week and next. Thirty-five train loads of people left Chicago last Friday and the hotels of the Angel City are overrun.

A baby boy was born to the wife of G. A. Goodwin last Sunday and on Thursday Mrs. Jack Maddux presented her happy spouse with a bouncing baby boy. As the war is almost over there is no apparent reason for this partiality to the warrior sex.

Harold D. Lane, the popular financial agent of the White Hills mining company, passed through here Tuesday last on his way to Los Angeles for an outing. He will also look after business interests while in that city.

Minnie A. Sawyer, of the MINER, returned this week from a trip to the old home in Missouri. Her mother and sister accompanied her and have gone to Los Angeles, where they will make their home.

The Colorado river is on the rise and it will soon overpread the lowlands on this side of the river below Fort Mohave and make it impossible to get freight to the mines from that direction.

Harry Williams, who has been ill for some weeks past, has gone to the Relief Springs, near San Jacinto. We hope he will be benefited by the hot baths.

H. H. Watkins now has one of the handsomest soda water fountains to be found anywhere in the territory of Arizona.

T. B. Scott and wife have gone to Chicago, where Mr. Scott has business interests.

Ross H. Blakely is building an addition to his residence on Pine street.

Biliousness is a condition characterized by a disturbance of the digestive organs. The stomach is debilitated, the liver torpid, the bowels constipated. There is a loathing of food, pains in the bowels, dizziness, coated tongue and vomiting, first of the undigested or partly digested food then of bile. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets allay the disturbances of the stomach and create a healthy appetite. They also tone up the liver to a healthy action and regulate the bowels. Try them and you are certain to be much pleased with the result. For sale by H. H. Watkins.

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